## **BILL SUMMARY**

1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 59<sup>th</sup> Legislature

Bill No.: HB2864
Version: INT
Request Number: 5971
Author: Wallace
Date: 2/14/2023
Impact: See analysis below

## **Research Analysis**

HB2864, as introduced, creates the "Mental Health Transport Revolving Fund" within the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services. The fund will consist of money received by the Department from appropriations, is not subject to fiscal year limitations. The fund is to be used to reimburse law enforcement transportation for the transport of patients to mental health facilities.

The measure also clarifies that once an individual has been taken to a facility, the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, or an entity contracted by the Department is responsible for any subsequent transportation.

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## **Fiscal Analysis**

HB 2864 creates a new revolving fund titled Mental Health Transport Revolving Fund. The measure also modifies transportation responsibilities related to certain individuals needing mental health services. The Revolving Fund is designed to reimburse the costs of such transportation.

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## **Other Considerations**

None.

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